

# FYI

## FOR YOUR INFORMATION by Mayor Mike Callahan

Call 301-773-0248 to contact the Mayor. The Mayor's door at the Community Center is open to visitors on **Monday evenings** from 7:30 to 9:30 PM, except holidays or if otherwise posted.

**Cheverly Sector Plan:** As always, I am writing this prior to the October 28<sup>th</sup> meeting at Bladensburg High School. Hopefully everyone attended the meeting to give their input regarding the future of our area. The single biggest driver of the future is "what will happen on Hospital Hill when the hospital moves?" Yes, this is three to five years out, but now is the time to start discussing this. I expect that the goal would be to have high quality, more dense housing on the hill. If that is the outcome then the density should drive other amenities for our area, including the Tuxedo Road and Landover Road areas. So if you missed the meeting on the 28<sup>th</sup>, please stay tuned for future meetings. Also keep an eye on our website where we will continue to post information.

**Columbia Park Bridge:** This is the bridge that goes over Route 50 near the 7/11. Oh, you mean the bridge with the lousy lights, difficult pedestrian crossing, bad pavement and way too many trucks for a residential road? Oh yeah, that bridge! Town Staff and the Town Council have long advocated for improvements to this bridge. Unfortunately, road construction funds are limited and the original plans for improvements wipe out the Lower Beaverdam Park area. However, improvements or replacements are needed to truly unleash any kind of development improvements in the area. Imagine adding hundreds of more housing units without addressing this problem. Some thoughts have been to: build a truck traffic route closer to Kenilworth Ave, create a pedestrian bridge to off load the pedestrian traffic, or simply to expand and improve this bridge. Fixing the traffic issues in the Tuxedo area is a key piece of the Cheverly Sector Plan, so please consider this as you give your input.



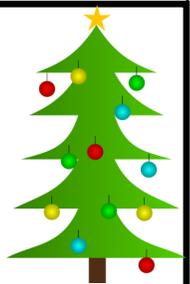
**Veterans Day**  
Wednesday,  
November 11, 2015  
Town Offices Closed  
No Trash Pickup

## CHEVERLY COMMUNITY HOLIDAY CELEBRATION & TREE LIGHTING

Friday, December 4th starting at 6:30 pm  
at the Community Center. Culminating  
at 8:00 at Legion Park.

**Bring canned goods to be distributed to local pantries. Pantries are running low this year.**

**Color cards for veterans, enjoy Cookies and Cider and entrainment will be provided by children from our local schools.**



*Mayor FYI cont'd*

**6301 Kilmer Street Property:** A special thank you to everyone that came out to visit the property and drop off their ideas. It was a great day, and I'm sure more than 100 people came to visit. Public Works spent hours clearing the property of both garbage and low lying brush. The effort they put in showed, and virtually everyone who came was impressed by the size of the space and its beauty. Thanks to the Planning Board who hosted the event and received input from everyone. Of course the big question is, "what's it gonna become?" Well we don't really know the answer to that yet. Best guess is that like many of our parks it will have a little bit of everything. We are in the process of asking Neighborhood Design Center and MNCPPC to assist us in filtering through the input and developing some concept plans. This process should take a couple of months. So we will see you in the early spring with conceptual designs for your input. While there are still more questions than answers, two issues are at the forefront:

*What to do with the building?:* The existing home is well constructed and relatively small. It has a very nice living room with a fireplace that looks out onto the yard. However, the remaining rooms are choppy and the home is likely not ADA accessible. There seems to be equal sentiment for taking the home down as there is for identifying a use for the space. We need to identify what actual use would occur at the space and then identify cost associated with the options. Another consideration is, while Town residents clearly articulated a need for additional space, is this location and configuration of space appropriate.

*Parking for the site?* The residents in the area have been very gracious and open to any of the uses identified. However, they have expressed concern regarding parking and traffic congestion. Today, many homes in the area have no driveway and little street parking, additionally this is one of the few egresses from town. No matter what the use we eventually decide on, it should have the needed parking on site.

**Pepco Tree Trimming:** The Town Council hosted representatives from Pepco at their October 22<sup>nd</sup> work session. (This meeting happened after I wrote this). The purpose of the meeting was to finalize tree trimming plans for public property trees and to allow residents to ask questions regarding Pepco's tree trimming policies. The Town Council is attempting to minimize the impact of the Tree Trimming, while ensuring that electrical reliability remains high. We all remember the significant power outages that we use to experience prior to the line upgrades and vegetation management Pepco performed 4 years ago. We have no desire to return to those experiences.

Please be mindful that Pepco does NOT trim trees for beauty. This has been a long discussion that has occurred across the state. Pepco trims trees according to state laws and Department of Natural Resources regulations. If they are trimming your private trees, you may attempt to influence them as much as feasible.

**FREE Trees Available, Planted in your Yard:** *I simply can not emphasize enough that the future of Cheverly's tree canopy relies on you!!* The town plants hundreds of trees along the streets and in parks, however there are so many limitations that prevent strong and healthy street trees. Small tree boxes that limit root systems and electrical wires that limit the heights of trees are the two major problems. However, trees planted in yards do not have these issues and can grow to be hundreds of years old. Yes, that means you won't be around to have to cut it down. Instead you will benefit from the shade in summer and the growth in your property values. So please take advantage of the best deal in town. Call Public Works at 301-773-2666 and have them plant a beautiful new tree in your front or back yard.

**Leaf Collection:** Look inside the newsletter for the Cheverly Leaf Collection schedule for this Fall. Public Works does a great job of collecting un-bagged leaves at the curb; however it is important that you bring your leaves to the curb during the proper time for your street. Many times I get complaints that Public Works has asked residents to bring their leaves back from the curb, because it is not their scheduled time. Public Works does this because the leaves will blow into streets and neighbors yards causing more work for others. So please take advantage of the curb side service, but make sure to bring your leaves to the curb at the right time. Of course, you can always bag your leaves and take them out for Monday Yard Waste Pick-Up. Please Remember: No Plastic Bags Allowed. Your leaves will not be picked up if they are in plastic bags.

**Fall Clean-Up; Bundled in four foot segments:** During the Fall many folks take the opportunity to clean their yards, sticks, branches, and shrubs all come to the curb side. Please remember to cut all awkwardly shaped vegetation into four foot segments and bundle them with twine or rope. While this may seem a tedious task it improves the service of our Public Works Staff and prevents them from many unnecessary cuts and scratches.



## Holiday Markets: Nov 21 and Dec 12

Make sure to save the date for our two special holiday markets that feature even more artisans and vendors so you can shop ahead for the holidays.



Locally-Grown, Fresh-Cut  
Christmas Trees on Sale

[Reserve your fresh-cut, locally grown tree online or onsite at the Market.](#) Help support our Market and place your order onsite or online. Choose from various heights from 6 to 9 feet and between Douglas and Fraser varieties.

Prices are \$35-\$55. Trees are fresh cut the day before delivery for pick up outside the Cheverly Community Center on Sat, Dec. 5 from 8am to 11am.

[www.cheverlycommunitymarket.com](http://www.cheverlycommunitymarket.com)

## ACTIONS TAKEN

*Votes were unanimous unless otherwise noted.*

**Town Meeting - October 8, 2015**

No actions taken

**Worksession - October 22, 2015**

## TENTATIVE AGENDA

**Town Meeting - November 12, 2015**

**Worksession - November 19, 2015**

**NOTE DATE CHANGE DUE TO THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY.**



## CHILDREN'S HOLIDAY PARTY

Saturday Dec.5th will be a big day in Cheverly because "**SANTA**" is coming to the Rec Council's Holiday Party. Starting 11 AM, there will be crafts, entertainment, refreshments and pictures with "Santa". So bring your camera. "Santa" will talk to every boy and girl. It's a great fun way to start the holidays, so come on down to the Community Center





*Message from the Chief* Buddy Robshaw  
([policechief@cheverly-md.gov](mailto:policechief@cheverly-md.gov))

**SURVEILLANCE CAMERAS AND BAIT CARS** – In an effort to combat what has become the #1 crime in Cheverly, theft from auto, the Cheverly Police Department has purchased a multi-lensed camera system that can easily be mounted in or on a number of objects, including vehicles. This system has both night and day capability, and can be rapidly deployed or moved as necessary. When mounted inside a vehicle, the vehicle can be moved at will dependent on crime mapping or intelligence information. This vehicle capability will be deployed throughout Cheverly in the coming months. Thieves beware!

**DID YOU KNOW THAT THE CHEVERLY POLICE DEPARTMENT WILL DISPOSE OF, FREE OF CHARGE, THE FOLLOWING:**

1. All unwanted firearms, magazines, ammunition, or other weapons. Please call the station first to ensure a police officer is available to receive the unloaded weapon. In cases where a resident is unable or unwilling to unload any firearm, please call the station and an officer will be dispatched to take the weapon. This applies to all handguns, rifles, shotguns, BB or pellet guns, or any other dangerous weapon. It is the policy of the Department that all such weapons will be utilized by the Department or destroyed, and not traded in for discounted law enforcement weapons or purchases.
2. All unwanted prescription medicines with the exception of syringes. The station maintains a prescription medicine container in the lobby and residents may utilize this service unattended. Please cross out any names or addresses on the prescription container and ensure all lids are tightly fastened. All such medicines are destroyed.
3. All controlled dangerous substances (marijuana, cocaine, etc.). Resident who find such substances are encouraged to call the station first to ensure a police officer is available to receive the substance. In cases where a resident is unable or unwilling to collect the substance, please call the station and an officer will be dispatched to take such substances. Confidentiality will always be employed in these circumstances. Again, all such substances will be destroyed.
4. Other found property. The Department makes an attempt to identify the owner of all found or recovered property. All unclaimed property is auctioned or sold, if possible, with the funds used to purchase police equipment.

**C-PACT/CHEVERLY WATCH RESIDENT RADIO PROGRAM MEETING** – The next joint meeting of C-PACT (Cheverly – Police And Citizens Together), Cheverly’s Neighborhood Watch Organization, and the Cheverly Watch Resident Radio Program had been scheduled for Wednesday, November 11, 2015. As this is a national holiday (Veteran’s Day), it has been re-scheduled for Wednesday, December 9, 2015, at 7:00 PM, in the Conference Room at the police station.

**TELEPHONE NUMBERS –**

<b>Police Emergency</b>	<b>9-1-1</b>
<b>Nonemergency Calls for Dispatch</b>	<b>(301) 352-1200</b>
<b>Nighttime Non-Emergency</b>	<b>(301) 789-5090</b>
<b>Cheverly Police</b>	<b>(301) 341-1055</b>
<b>Cheverly Police (Night/Weekend Only)</b>	<b>(301) 789-5090</b>
<b>Cheverly Police Facsimile</b>	<b>(301) 341-0176</b>
<b>Cheverly Photo Enforcement</b>	<b>(240) 770-7641</b>
<b>P. G. Towing (Towing Vendor)</b>	<b>(301) 220-1170</b>
<b>Cheverly Investigators</b>	<b>(301) 789-8551</b> <b>(301) 852-0537</b>

**Crime Report for September 2015**

**\*Note that all addresses are in Hundred Blocks**

09/02/15	0811 hrs	3400 Belleview	Theft from Auto
09/02/15	1334 hrs	6500 Landover Rd	Theft/shoppinglifting
09/03/15	1645 hrs	2500 Lake	B&E
09/04/15	1406 hrs	6425 Landover Rd	Stolen Auto
09/05/15	0851 hrs	6228 Cheverly Pk Dr	Stolen Auto
09/05/15	1055 hrs	5800 Dewey	Theft from Auto
09/05/15	1912 hrs	2400 59 <sup>th</sup> Pl	Theft from Auto
09/06/15	0745 hrs	2700 Cheverly Ave	Theft from Auto
09/07/15	2201 hrs	6300 Landover Rd	Sex Offense
09/08/15	1807 hrs	6100 Landover Rd	Vandalism
09/09/15	0836 hrs	2300 Belleview	Vandalism
09/09/15	2124 hrs	2700 Crest	Theft from Auto
09/11/15	0809 hrs	3100 63 <sup>rd</sup> Ave	Theft from Auto
09/11/15	0810 hrs	2800 63 <sup>rd</sup> Pl	Theft from Auto
09/12/15	0216 hrs	6000 Arbor	Assault
09/19/15	0606 hrs	4800 Lydell Rd	B&E
09/20/15	0625 hrs	3400 Laurel	Stolen Auto
09/21/15	2039 hrs	6400 Landover Rd	Armed Robbery
09/24/15	0611 hrs	6500 Landover Rd	Theft from Auto
09/24/15	0901 hrs	6500 Landover Rd	Theft from Auto
09/25/15	0710 hrs	5800 Annapolis Rd	Armed Robbery
09/29/15	1100 hrs	2800 63 <sup>rd</sup> Ave	Stolen Auto
09/29/15	1941 hrs	6400 Landover Rd	Assault
09/30/15	2018 hrs	6500 Landover Rd	Theft

**Need help with YARD WORK OR SNOW REMOVAL?** To assist our elderly and other residents who need help with yard work, Cheverly maintains this list of teenagers who are interested in being hired for mowing lawns, raking leaves, shoveling snow, etc.

Teenagers can call the Town Office 301-77308360 if they wish to add their names to this list.

Malik & Tyreq McAdoo	301-832-1576
Andrew Priest	301-772-6028
Delonta Beard	240-601-4271
Anthony Lea	202-674-0240

## RECYCLING TOTALS

September 2015

Curb Recycling— 49.81 tons  
Electronic Recycling— 0 pallets  
Appliances— 3



**Cheverly Recreation Council** - Our next meeting will be Wed, December 2 at 6:30 PM for our Holiday dinner. We will discuss the children's Holiday Party that will be held on Saturday, Dec. 5 at 11AM and the Fall Flea Market.

There will be no December meeting. We wish everyone a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. "2016"

## TRASH COLLECTION SCHEDULE

**MON** Town Wide **YARD WASTE**

**MON** East side Regular Garbage Pickup only

**TUE** West side Regular Garbage Pickup only

**WED** Town wide **RECYCLING** (blue or yellow bins)

**THU** East side Garbage & **SPECIAL TRASH** (at curb)

**FRI** West side Garbage & **SPECIAL TRASH** (at curb)

Residents should place trash at the curb after 7:00PM the day before your pickup. Trash must be placed in cans with tight fitting lids to ward off rodents.

**BAMBOO** is picked up with Thursday/Friday Special Trash.

Tied up and bundled not longer than 4'

**ELECTRONICS** are picked up on Wednesday with recycling. TV's any size, (no consoles), computers (remove hard drive), monitors, keyboards, etc. Place these items next to your recycle bucket.

**APPLIANCES**-Washers, dryers, stoves, dishwashers, refrigerators/freezers (remove doors) microwaves (any size), A/C units (any size) - \$20 for removal, contact Public Works at 301-773-2666

**HOLIDAYS?** Public Works crews DO NOT work on holidays.



## THE CHEVERLY WOMAN'S CLUB SPONSORS

*Gifts from the Heart for Peace, Compassion and Service*

*Remade ~ Reused ~ Recycled*



- Children of all ages can shop for holiday gifts for friends, parents, teachers, and neighbors
- Proceeds help fund the Cheverly Peace Camp 2015
- Teens can earn **SERVICE HOURS** (contact [joycelang@verizon.net](mailto:joycelang@verizon.net))
- Bring a few re-usable shopping bags to carry your gifts home

**DATE:** Saturday, December 5 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

**LOCATION:** Community Center



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## Cheverly United Methodist Church

2015 Annual Fundraiser and Silent Auction will be held at the American Legion Post 108, 3608 Legion Drive 6 - 9 pm, Saturday November 21st  
Ticket Price \$40.00, Heavy hors d'oeuvres and cash bar

To purchase tickets or donate auction items.  
Contact: Denise Carrigan 301 386 – 3678  
at [denisecarrigan@hotmail.com](mailto:denisecarrigan@hotmail.com)

Thanksgiving Shared Prayer Service  
We will gather with our neighbors from St. Ambrose and Christ Church to celebrate God's love.  
Time: 7:00pm Place: CUMC

Please join **Progressive Cheverly** for a program with Cheverly's very own food stars, Janet and Craig Tupper and Paulette Thompson. Our November meeting and forum is about food, nutrition, and food equity. Presenting: food growers and vegans Janet and Craig vegans Janet and Tupper on living on a plant-based diet, and certified professional dietitian Paulette Thompson on nutrition, education and hunger in the DC area.

Q&A and discussion. Light refreshments. All are invited. Bring your friends and neighbors. Thursday, November 5, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. Judith Hoyer Center, Belleview & Tuxedo Rd (2300 Belleview Ave)

**CPRC** is gearing up for a month of fun activities! Join us on November 7 for an event in the Town Park Pavilion, including s'mores and a snuggle up movie. Bring blankets and chairs! This activity is free, but donations to the Spellman Turkey Drive are greatly appreciated. You may also donate via PayPal at <http://www.cheverlyparent.org/2015-turkey-drive>.

Playgroup will begin to move indoors as the weather turns colder. Watch the listserv and Facebook page for updates! Join us in the Community Center Gym on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 9:30-11:30. On Monday, November 16<sup>th</sup>, the New Carrollton Library will be sending us one of their fabulous Children's Librarians for a special story time playgroup. Finally, on Friday, November 20<sup>th</sup>, Greenleaf Fitness will be with us during playgroup for a special Wiggle Worms class.

## Green Infrastructure Committee

November Monthly Meeting, Monday, November 2, 7:30-9:00 p.m. Large Conference Room, Cheverly Community Center

Monthly meeting to report progress on Cheverly greening efforts and plan next steps and new initiatives. In implementing the Cheverly Green Infrastructure Plan, your Cheverly Green Infrastructure Committee is working on projects in education, planning, and research. All are welcome!

**GREEN @ HOME -- YOUR HOME, YOUR TOWN, YOUR WORLD**

How the Town of Cheverly helps you help our environment.

*NEW! Rain barrels.* Slow down the rain water coming off your roof, cool it off, spread it out, soak it in. Buy your rain barrel from the town for \$50, get your rebate from Prince George's County, total cost, \$0. Call Cheverly Public Works, 301-773-2666.

*Compost bins* -Turn your yard waste & vegetable scraps into black gold for your gardens. Available from Public Works for \$20.

*Free trees.* Save air conditioning costs, filter stormwater, prevent erosion. The town will plant native trees in your yard. Cost, \$0. Contact Public Works.

*Recycling.* Keep recyclables out of our landscape and our landfills. The town collects plastic, paper, glass, newspaper, cardboard, and even electronic devices every Wednesday.

*Used motor oil collection.* Keep pollutants out of our streams. Our storm drains empty directly into Cheverly's streams. Never pour oil into our storm drains. The Town of Cheverly provides a tank for residents' used motor oil near the Public Works building.

**Boy Scout Troop 257** was busy, busy, busy in October! The Scouts participated in an Honor Guard during a special reception at the Cheverly American Legion and attended a Camporee at the American Legion Youth Camp in Cheltenham, MD. The Scouts will be even busier in the next few months as they prepare for the upcoming holidays. They'll be "Scouting for Food" in the neighborhood as well as planning a few fundraisers. If you'd like to help plan events and join the fun please come to the meeting on Sundays at 7pm in the Cheverly American Legion or contact Scoutmaster Michael Brown ([murkbrown99@gmail.com](mailto:murkbrown99@gmail.com), 410-919-7913).

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## **RAIN BARRELS – ONLY \$50**

Plus Full Rebate From PG County

The Town of Cheverly purchased 100 rain barrels and subsidized them so the cost to residents is only \$50 each (retail price \$100 to \$120).

Even better, the PG RainCheck Rebate Program will rebate residents 100% of the cost once you've installed them and completed the CB Trust online application at (or search PG RainCheck): <http://tinyurl.com/kkb2qxb>

After getting quotes from multiple vendors, we found this great EarthMinded 50-gallon rain barrel. It's easy to install and comes with all the hardware needed. No need to cut your downspout. Just drill a small hole with the cutter provided. Then install the diverter. That makes it easy to turn off and on when winter comes. See the rain barrel and details at: <http://tinyurl.com/pjjn9td>

To purchase rain barrels go to the Community Center to make payment & then take your receipt to Public Work to pick up your rain barrels between 9am to 4pm. Make sure to keep the receipt. It'll be needed for the rebate. Most households will need at least two and possibly up to six rain barrels depending on the number of downspouts you have. The PG RainCheck Rebate Program also offers rebates on cisterns, rain gardens, permeable pavers, removal of pavement, tree canopy (in Cheverly the Town provides trees), and green roofs.

Homeowners can receive up to \$4,000 in rebates per home to implement any combination of the seven stormwater best management practices (BMP's) with \$3 million available this year. These BMP's can add value to your home at little or no cost to you. After installing a BMP you can request a reduction of your Clean Water fee that is paid as part of your PG property tax.

Learn more at the CB Trust / PG RainCheck page at: <http://tinyurl.com/kkb2qxb>

**Cheverly Garden Club** - by now you have done the pumpkin and you know how to do a centerpiece for Thanksgiving but do not use the same pumpkin. The November 16 meeting includes a presentation for Veterans Day and while that is going on and you are working quietly, the greens will be available for making a Boxwood Tree or a greens arrangement. Bring a cutting tool and Greens and a candle(s) and some small red carnations and anything small to decorate. Go to Dollar Tree and see what they have. Members are FREE, Guests pay \$10 and we provide the oasis to ALL.

Please keep these dates on your calendar. November 10, Franklin's Fund Raiser. When you purchase just mention District 1 NCAGC, Inc, we depend on YOU and THINK OF THE GREAT THINGS THEY HAVE THERE, FOOD AND GIFTS AND WINES, ETC. Thank you for your help, it is used for community gardening sharing. On Nov. 13 there is a Morning of Design presentation near Mt Vernon. We will carpool so sign up early.

Cheverly residents still have time to apply for Grants. If interested do it NOW. Questions??? Call 301 773 1991 and identify yourself, and we will try to answer questions you may have. There is a garden club member on most streets who can answer your questions. The Arbor House located in the National Arboretum off NY Avenue has a wonderful GIFT SHOP FOR ALL AGES. And the Arboretum has some great exhibits indoors & outdoors.

**Woman's Club** - The winter holidays will be here in the blink of an eye. We're already deep into plans for our next activity for community service and fund raising for Peace Camp 2016. **The Holiday Secret Shop is on Saturday, December 5 from 9 a.m. – 2 p.m. at the Community Center.** See more details in this newsletter. If you'd like to participate in any way, please attend our **next meeting on Monday, November 9 at 7 p.m. at the Community Center**

You're also invited to our **next book discussion group on November 11 at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Joani Horchler, 2905 64<sup>th</sup> Ave.** We'll be discussing, **"The Invention of Wings" by Sue Monk Kidd.** This is a best seller from 2014 based on the life of the early abolitionist Sarah Grimke. Our discussions are race related and you can attend whether you've read the book or are just interested in the topic of race. You can rsvp Joani at [horcpool97@aol.com](mailto:horcpool97@aol.com). We hope to see you.

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## Cheverly American Legion Family Post 108

The Cheverly American Legion Family is a vibrant and growing group of local men and women who share an interest in supporting our veterans, military service members and their families, youth, and our community.

### Our Legion Family Events

#### Redskins Game Day in the Dugout

Join us on Sundays to watch the Redskins! We open early on any Sunday the Redskins are playing.

#### Third Friday Ladies' Night

Friday, November 20, 7:30 PM, Cheverly American Legion Dugout  
All are welcome!

#### Friday Night Queen of Hearts Game

Fridays, 7:30 PM, American Legion Dugout

Try your luck at finding the Queen of Hearts on the board of 54 cards. One drawing each week until the Queen of Hearts is found. Raffle tickets for sale in the Dugout daily, 4:00 PM – 10:00PM, up to the drawing. The more that play, the more exciting the drawing.

#### Cheverly American Legion Post 108 Membership

**(\$25/year):** The Legion is open to men and women who are serving or have served at least one day of active duty in the Armed Forces of the United States during time of war. Find eligibility dates, application form and documentation requirements on the Cheverly American Legion website: <http://CheverlyAmericanLegion.org> or contact our First Vice Commander Joseph Pruden (301) 602-2117.

**NOTE:** Renew or Join soon. After 1 January 2016 our dues will increase to \$35 a year as a result of the increase to National dues

#### Cheverly American Legion Auxiliary Membership (\$20/

**year):** The ALA is open to women veterans and women service members, and to many woman whose family member is/was a veteran or service member. If you are interested in joining us or learning about the American Legion Auxiliary, email us at [cheverlyauxiliary@gmail.com](mailto:cheverlyauxiliary@gmail.com).

**Sons of the American Legion (SAL) Membership (\$20/year):** The SAL is made up of men and boys of all ages whose parents or grandparents served in the United States military and are eligible for membership in The American Legion. All who would like to know more about the Sons are welcome to attend the general meeting. For meeting date and time or more information, please email at [CheverlySAL@gmail.com](mailto:CheverlySAL@gmail.com).

## SAVE THE DATE! St. Ambrose School Brunch for perspective Parents!

Looking for schools next year? Come meet some current families and learn about the most affordable and convenient private school in the Cheverly area-- St. Ambrose Catholic School.

In addition to the superior academics and strong discipline Catholic schools are known for, they offer all grades PreK 4-8th music, arts, foreign language, computers, year round sports and a loving community of dedicated teachers. The school really feels like an extended family which welcomes a diverse population from all over PG County.

Learn more and ask questions to current parents: Saturday, Nov 21st  
Daniels' Home  
6304 Inwood Street  
10-noon

... There will also be a school-wide open house on Jan 31st. I hope you will join us!

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## Villages Voices

*Cheverlians look toward  
A Cheverly Village*

I grew up in Cheverly, got married and raised children in Cheverly and have grandchildren who lived in Cheverly. As the years have passed, declining health has been making it more and more difficult to remain in Cheverly. I find this situation heart breaking. Maybe there are others who identify with this scenario or at least with a part of it. Is there a solution? Yes, there is a solution once a Cheverly Village is established and begins functioning. I envision residents being able to age in our homes, not isolated but in active relationship with our community.

I see Cheverly Village volunteers providing rides to and from doctor appointments, grocery store trips, and help with shoveling snow, mowing grass, and other such services. Knowledgeable coordinators will refer Cheverly seniors to reliable providers of house and appliance repairs. There will be educational events such as the two presentations the Cheverly Village Planning Committee has already held on scams and on health insurance issues. Also, I envision social activities so seniors can maintain relations with neighbors of all ages. Through the concerted efforts of many Cheverly volunteers, a Cheverly Village can enable residents to age at home. I find this a wonderful solution!  
-- David Watkins

### Did you miss our October 17 event on “Health Insurance Options and Opportunities”?

Photographs and audio recording are posted on “Cheverly Village” Facebook open group—[www.facebook.com/groups/ChevVillage/](http://www.facebook.com/groups/ChevVillage/). Also, see important resources at these links: [www.medicare.gov](http://www.medicare.gov) and [www.aging.maryland.gov/StateHealthInsuranceProgram.html](http://www.aging.maryland.gov/StateHealthInsuranceProgram.html).

*“Village Voices” is brought to you by the Cheverly Village Planning Committee. For more information, contact us at [ChevVillage@gmail.com](mailto:ChevVillage@gmail.com) or call Diane La Voy (240 599 6346) or Laila Riazi (202 258 6167).*



## Cheverly Day 2016 is just a little over six months away!

Join your friends, family, and neighbors on Saturday, May 21, to celebrate 85 years of life in Cheverly. We'll have a parade, great music, food & drink, fireworks & loads of activities and attractions sure to please!

We've come a long way from 1931 – an era of tremendous challenge and sacrifice, but also a time of people working together in communities. We enjoyed the music of Cab Calloway, Kate Smith, and Guy Lombardo, and movies by Charlie Chaplin and Bela Lugosi. Did you know that *The Star Spangled Banner* became the official National Anthem of the United States in 1931? The first Donald Duck cartoon and Dick Tracy comic launched that same year, and the Empire State Building and George Washington Bridge in New York opened. Lou Gehrig played his 1,000<sup>th</sup> baseball game. Babe Ruth hit his 600<sup>th</sup> home run. And Cheverly, Maryland, was incorporated on April 18, 1931.

We're looking forward to sharing Cheverly's 85<sup>th</sup> Anniversary with the entire community, and we need your help. Start planning those parade floats and entries now! Want to get involved in planning the big event? We'd love to have your input. Email [cheverlyday@gmail.com](mailto:cheverlyday@gmail.com) to lend your support. Of course, visit our website [www.cheverlyday.org](http://www.cheverlyday.org) for the latest news on all things Cheverly Day 2016!

## Cheverly Fitness Bootcamp

As the weather becomes colder, take your workout inside – or start a new fitness routine – with Cheverly Fitness Bootcamp!

Our group meets in the town gym three days per week: Tuesdays and Thursdays at 6 a.m. and Saturday mornings at 8 a.m. The schedule is subject to change (and workouts may be canceled on holidays), so please join our mailing list at [www.bit.ly/cheverly-fitness](http://www.bit.ly/cheverly-fitness) for the most up-to-date information. Workouts are volunteer-led and combine strength and cardio movements for a great total body routine. There is no cost to join, although you might be called on to tell a joke during wall sits! All fitness levels are welcome.

Stay up-to-date on group news and schedule changes by subscribing to the Cheverly Fitness Bootcamp Google group at [www.bit.ly/cheverly-fitness](http://www.bit.ly/cheverly-fitness). With any questions, email Amanda Szabo at [aglsensky@gmail.com](mailto:aglsensky@gmail.com).



# LEAF COLLECTION PROCEDURES

**Vacuumping Leaves:** Every street in Cheverly is scheduled for at least 2 vacuumping sweeps.

Rake leaves **between** the curb and sidewalk - not on the street or sidewalk.

- Keep leaves free of twigs, branches, metal, concrete and other debris that can jam or damage the equipment.
- Please do not park cars on the street on the assigned collection day
- Be considerate of your neighbors. Only rake to curb when your pick up day is imminent. Raking too early, allows the leaves to blow into your neighbors yard.

**Bag Leaves:** Yard waste is collected on **MONDAYS**. Put bags at the curb on Sunday evening. Use **Paper Bags or Trash cans only**. Yard waste includes leaves, grass, brush, twigs, etc. Do not put any dirt, rocks, or other trash/debris in these bags. Sticks, branches and twigs are to be tied up or placed in trash cans.

If you have any questions, please call Public Works at 301-773-2666.

Street	Address	1 <sup>st</sup> Pickup	2 <sup>nd</sup> Pickup	Street	Address	1 <sup>st</sup> Pickup	2 <sup>nd</sup> Pickup
Entire Town		Oct. 20-30	Feb 23-26	Forest Rd	5900-6010 (even)	Dec. 8	Feb. 2
Arbor St	6100-6121	Nov. 6	Jan. 8	Forest Rd.	5901-6015 (odd)	Nov. 13	Jan. 14
Belleview Ave	2300-2358 (even)	Dec. 18	Feb. 12	Forest Rd	6101-6219	Dec. 3	Jan. 28
Belleview Ave	2301-2351 (odd)	Dec. 18	Feb. 12	Forest Rd.	6405-6459	Dec. 3	Jan. 28
Belleview Ave	2701-2719	Nov. 13	Jan. 14	Greenleaf Rd	5601-5625	Dec. 17	Feb. 11
Belleview Ave	2804-2815	Dec. 4	Jan. 29	Greenleaf Rd	5701-5809 (odd)	Dec. 17	Feb. 11
Belleview Ave	3001-3500	Dec. 4	Jan. 29	Greenleaf Rd	5700-5812 (even)	Dec. 8	Feb. 2
Benton Rd	5900-5901	Dec. 18	Feb. 12	Greenleaf Ct		Dec. 8	Feb. 2
Carlyle St	5703-5835	Dec. 15	Feb. 9	Hawthorne St.	5600-5622	Dec. 17	Feb. 11
Cedar St	6500-6514	Nov. 20	Jan. 22	Hawthorne St.	6000-6025	Dec. 8	Feb. 2
Cheverly Ave.	2200-2720	Nov. 6	Jan. 8	Hillside Ave.	2800-3132	Nov. 20	Jan. 22
Cheverly Ave.	2800-3510 (even)	Dec. 4	Jan. 29	Hillside Ave.	3205-3211	Dec. 1	Jan. 26
Cheverly Ave.	2801-3411 (odd)	Dec. 4	Jan. 29	Inwood St.	5600-5615	Dec. 10	Feb. 4
Cheverly Circle	#1-#27, 6101-6105	Nov. 6	Jan. 8	Inwood St.	6006-6031	Dec. 8	Feb. 2
Cheverly Hills Ct	3200-3220	Nov. 19	Jan. 21	Inwood St.	6100-6215	Nov. 5	Jan. 7
Cheverly Oaks Ct	2900-2923	Nov. 20	Jan. 22	Inwood St.	6300-6407	Nov. 5	Jan. 7
Cheverly Park Dr	6200-6232	Nov. 10	Jan. 12	Jason St.	5600-5716	Dec. 10	Feb. 4
Crest Ave.	2500-2824	Dec. 15	Feb. 9	Jason St.	6301-6325	Nov. 19	Jan. 21
Crest Ave.	3000-3215	Dec. 15	Feb. 9	Joslyn Pl	6300-6331	Nov. 19	Jan. 21
Crestlawn Ave.	2300-2311	Nov. 10	Jan. 12	Jutewood Ave	1607	Nov. 17	Jan 15
Dewey St	5800-5841	Dec. 15	Feb. 9	Kilmer St.	6000-6021	Dec. 10	Feb. 4
Euclid St.	5700-5735	Dec. 17	Feb. 11	Kilmer St.	6100-6220	Dec. 31	Feb. 19
Euclid St.	5901-6012	Dec. 18	Feb. 12	Lake Ave.	2300-2510	Nov. 13	Jan. 14
Forest Rd.	5700-5721	Dec. 17	Feb. 11				

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Lake Ave.	2700-2715	Nov. 13	Jan. 14
Lake Ave.	3001-3122	Dec. 10	Feb. 4
Landover Rd.	5611-6005 (odd)	Dec. 11	Feb. 5
Landover Rd.	6101-6205 (odd)	Dec. 31	Feb. 19
Laurel Ave.	2800-3141	Dec. 31	Feb. 19
Laurel Ave.	3301-3407	Nov. 3	Jan. 5
Lockwood Rd.	5600-5907	Dec. 10	Feb. 4
Lombard St.	6100-6205	Nov. 3	Jan. 5
Maureen Ct.	6500-6509	Dec. 1	Jan. 26
Medical Terr.	5901-5905	Dec. 4	Jan. 29
Monroe St.	5625-5627 (odd)	Dec. 11	Feb. 5
Monroe St.	5702-5714	Dec. 11	Feb. 5
Monroe St.	6200-6202	Nov. 3	Jan. 5
Montrose Rd.	6103-6136	Nov. 3	Jan. 5
Newton St.	5518-5614 (even)	Dec. 11	Feb. 5
Newton St.	5700-5809	Dec. 11	Feb. 5
Oak Forest Rd.	6500-6508	Nov. 20	Jan. 22
Oak St.	6501-6509	Dec. 1	Jan. 26
Oak St.	6600-6604 (even)	Dec. 1	Jan. 26
Oak St.	6601-6609 (odd)	Dec. 1	Jan. 26
Oakton Way	6400-6403	Nov. 20	Jan. 22
Parkway	2805-3131	Dec. 3	Jan. 28
Parkway	2203-2309	Nov. 10	Jan. 12
Parkway	2405-2601 (odd)	Nov. 10	Jan. 12
Parkway	2400-2600 (even)	Nov. 6	Jan. 8
Parkway Pl.	2701-2711	Nov. 6	Jan. 8
Quincy St.	5543-5545 (odd)	Dec. 11	Feb. 5
Reed St.	6000-6012 (even)	Nov. 17	Jan. 15
State St.	6000-6204	Nov. 17	Jan. 15
Tremont Ave.	2900-3307	Dec. 15	Feb. 9
Valleyway	2400-2800	Dec. 29	Feb. 18
Wayne Ct.	6200-6204	Nov. 10	Jan. 12
Wayne Pl.	2500-2541	Nov. 10	Jan. 12
Woodway Pl	2802-2909	Nov. 20	Jan. 22

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56 <sup>th</sup> Place	2902-2907	Dec. 17	Feb.11
57 <sup>th</sup> Ave.	2500-2607	Dec. 15	Feb. 9
57 <sup>th</sup> Ave.	3501-3507 (odd)	Dec. 11	Feb. 5
58 <sup>th</sup> Pl.	3600-3605	Dec. 11	Feb. 5
59 <sup>th</sup> Pl.	2400-2433	Dec. 29	Feb. 18
59 <sup>th</sup> Ave.	2410-2421	Dec. 29	Feb. 18
61 <sup>st</sup> Ave.	1701-1817	Nov. 17	Jan. 15
62 <sup>nd</sup> Ave.	1702-1815	Nov. 17	Jan. 15
62 <sup>nd</sup> Pl.	One Way Alley	Dec. 31	Feb. 19
63 <sup>rd</sup> Pl.	2800-2825	Nov. 5	Jan. 7
63 <sup>rd</sup> Pl.	3102-3127	Nov. 19	Jan. 21
63 <sup>rd</sup> Ave.	2800-3010	Nov. 5	Jan. 7
63 <sup>rd</sup> Ave.	3100-3142	Nov. 19	Jan. 21
64 <sup>th</sup> Ave.	1800-1816	Nov. 17	Jan. 15
64 <sup>th</sup> Ave.	2800-2825	Nov. 5	Jan. 7
64 <sup>th</sup> Ave.	2900-2907	Nov. 20	Jan. 22
64 <sup>th</sup> Ave.	3315, 3321, 3323	Dec. 1	Jan. 26

### **FLBC's WORK PARTY--SAT, NOV 28**

Join your friendly neighborhood environmental group, Friends of Lower Beaverdam Creek, for our monthly work party on Saturday, November 28 between 9 am and noon.

We'll spread wood chips on the trail and remove invasive plants such as multiflora rose bushes.

We'll meet at 9 am at the green-gate entrance at Arbor St. & Parkway. Tools, gloves, snacks, water, and wake-up coffee will be provided! School community service hours are available. We welcome volunteers of all ages.

To walk there, start at the 7-11 store near the Metro. Cross Cheverly Ave at the light, walk down the slope toward a wooden bridge, cross it, and continue on our trail to Parkway. (Meet at the green gate on your left.)

Driving: From 7-11, go one block north down Cheverly Ave. Make a right onto Arbor. Go two blocks to Parkway. The site is on your right. For more information, contact Joani Horchler at 301-802-7445 or [horcpool97@aol.com](mailto:horcpool97@aol.com).

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Ward 5: Sandra Rodgers	301-773-2666
Ward 6: Megan Daly	240-846-3259

Email contact links at the website

### Town Offices: (Mon-Fri, 9AM-5PM)

Administration	301-773-8360
Police Admin & Code Enforcement	301-341-1055
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If you need a Police Officer call:	301-352-1200
WEB SITE: <a href="http://www.cheverly-md.gov">www.cheverly-md.gov</a>	
Email " <a href="#">Contact The Town</a> " button at the Website	

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## Meetings & Events

### GOVERNMENT EVENT SCHEDULE

Wed	Nov 11	<b>Veterans Day - Offices Closed</b>
Thur	Nov 12	8:00 pm <b>Town Meeting</b>
Thur	Nov 19	7:30 pm <b>Worksession (note date)</b>
Thur	Nov 26	<b>THANKSGIVING DAY</b>
Fri	Nov 27	Employee Appreciate Day - No Trash
We	Dec 2	REC Holiday Dinner & "meeting"
Fri	Dec 4	Tree Lighting Ceremony
Sat	Dec 5	Children's Holiday party stars 11 am

### **CHEVERLY WEBSITE** [www.cheverly-md.gov](http://www.cheverly-md.gov)

You can easily contact the Mayor & Council through their town email accounts. There are also links at the Mayor & Council pages of the website.

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### COMMUNITY EVENT SCHEDULE

- Rain Barrels are here \$50.
- Green Infrastructure - Nov. 2, 7:30-9pm, GREEN @ HOME - Your Home, Your Town, Your World
- CUMC - Annual Fundraiser & Silent Auction, Nov 21 6-9 PM, Thanksgiving Prayer Service 7:00 pm
- American Legion - Redskins Game day in the dugout, Ladies Night, Nov. 20, 7:30 pm, Fri Night Queen of Hearts Game 7:30.
- CHEVERLY DAY 2016 - May 21, 2016**
- Boy Scout Troop 257—Meet every Sun 7Pm at American Legion.
- Cheverly Village Voices as seen by David Watkins
- CPRC - Nov. 7 Movie night in Town Park, play-Group Mon, Wed & Fri 9:30-11:30, Nov. 20 Greenleaf Fitness (Wiggle Worms class)
- Cheverly fitness bootcamp - Tue/Thur. 6 am, Sat 8am Town Hall gym.
- FLBC - Work party Nov. 28, 9-12
- St. Ambrose School Brunch—Nov. 21, 10am-noon
- Cheverly Farmers Market—Nov. 21